



Inspector General of the Marine Corps

Mr. R. David Holmgren



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Symposium
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“We’re here to help!”



The Inspector General

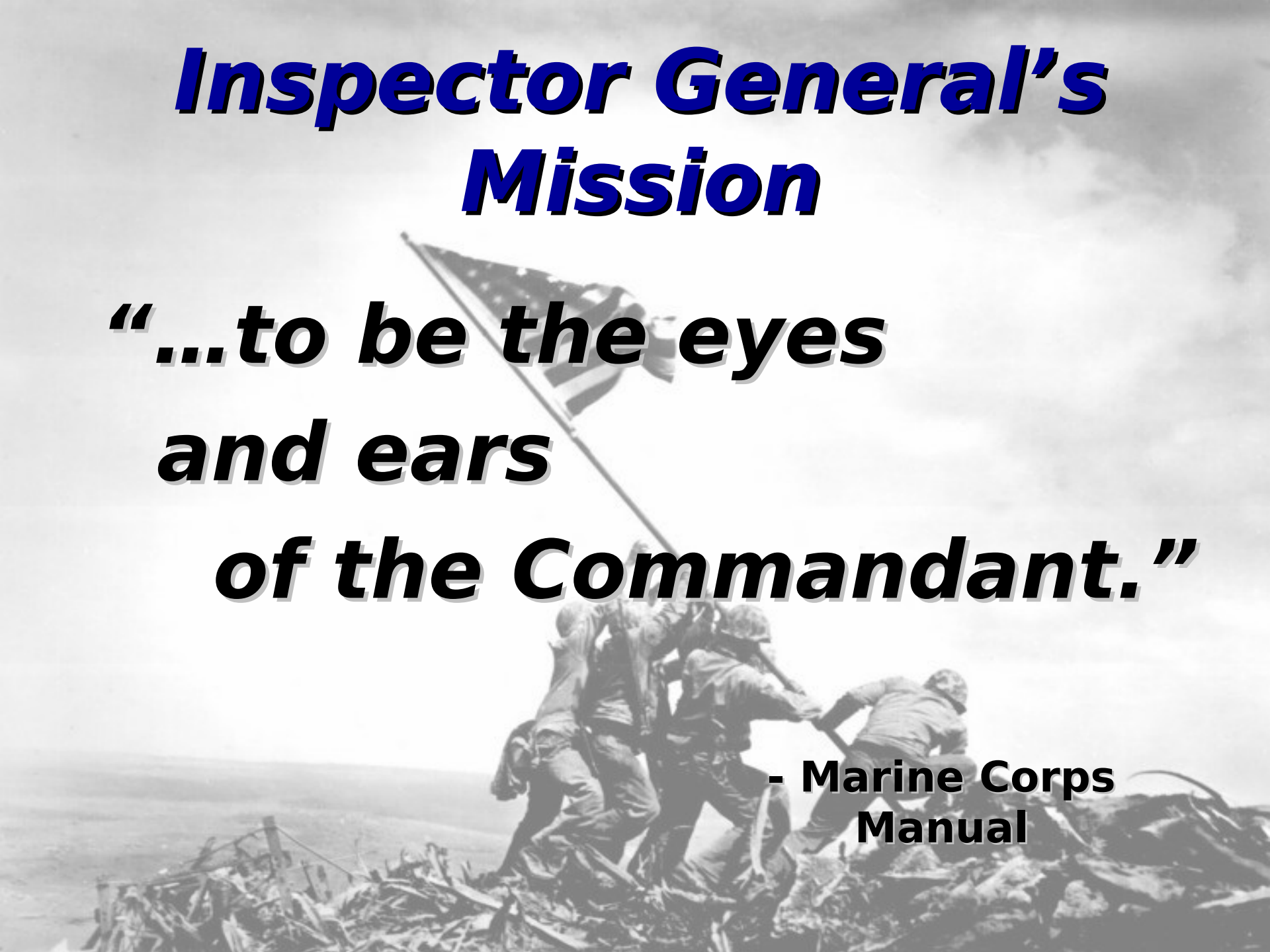
“A typical IG is a man past middle age, spare, wrinkled, cold, passive, non-committal, with eyes of a codfish, polite in contact, but at the same time unresponsive, calm, and damnably composed as a concrete post or a plaster of paris cast, a human petrification with a heart of feldspar and without charm or friendly germ, minus bowels, passion, or a sense of humor. Happily, they never reproduce and all of them finally go to hell.”

**- Gen George S. Patton,
Jr.**

Inspector General's Mission

***“...to be the eyes
and ears
of the Commandant.”***

**- Marine Corps
Manual**





Commandant's Guidance

- **IMPROVE:**

**Operational
Readiness**

Quality of Life

Safety

Efficiency



Marine Corps Ethos

ENHANCE

- **ENSURE:**

**Compliance w/
Regulations**

The Command must benefit from the visit



Inspections & Visits

- **Recurring Issues**
 - ◆ **Body Composition Program (BCP)**
 - ◆ **SGLI Election Forms**
 - ◆ **Drug and Alcohol Program**
 - ◆ **Medical/ Dental Readiness**
 - ◆ **Taking Care of Marines**
- **Findings:**
 - ◆ **Leadership Involvement**



IGMC Assessments

Completed FY07

- ✓ **Financial Readiness: USMC Government Purchases**
- ✓ **Family Readiness**
- ✓ **Personnel Administrative Centers (PAC)**
- ✓ **Private Motor Vehicle Safety**

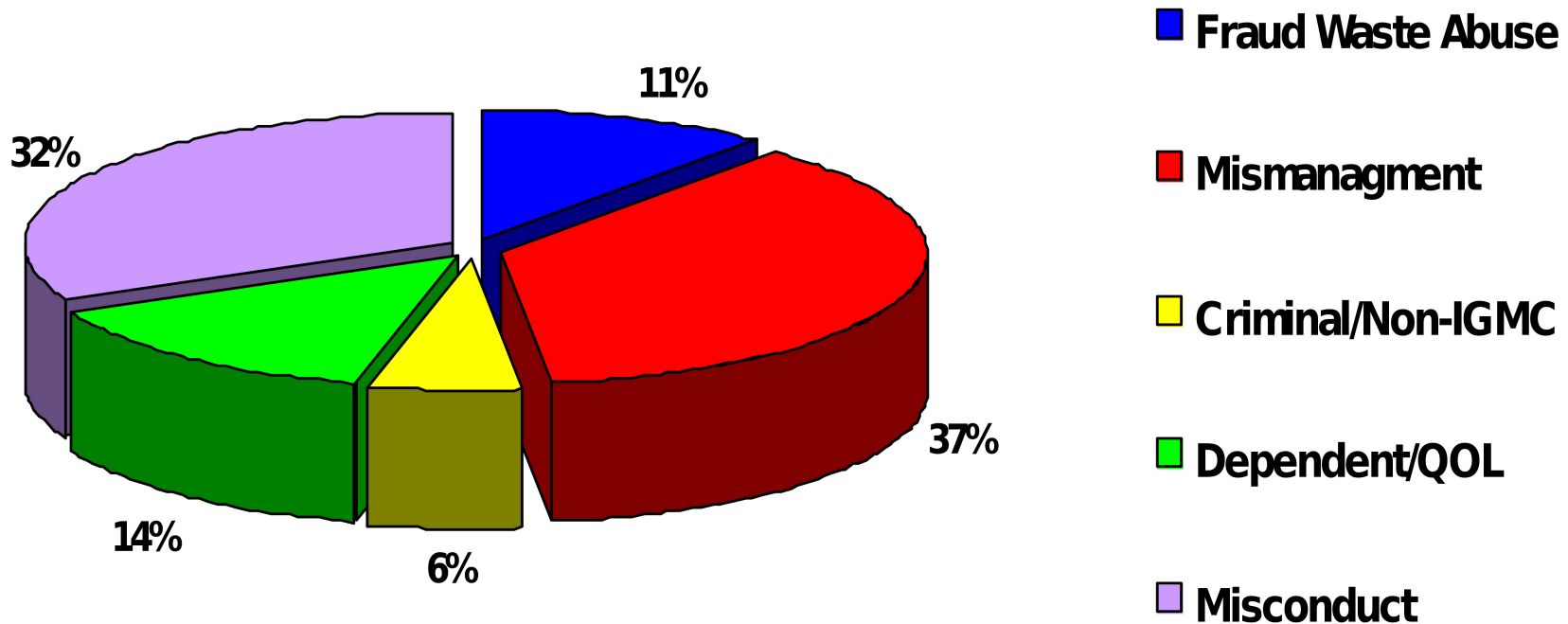
On-Going

- **Recruiter Misconduct**
- **Body Composition Program (BCP)**
- **MCCS Revenue Generating Activities**



Hotlines - Assists and Inquiry

Snap Shot Jan 05 - June 07



Substantiations average 15-20%



TOP TEN LIST

**“Don’t leave your girlfriend
in jail overnight without a
way to get home in the
morning.”**



TOP TEN LIST

**“Don’t alter a logbook after
you know it’s been copied.”**



TOP TEN LIST

“Private pictures travel exponentially faster after a nasty breakup.”



TOP TEN LIST

“Tell your partner about any STD’s before they find the treatment in your medicine cabinet.”



TOP TEN LIST

“Your government charge card should NOT be used to buy tickets to the ballgame.”



TOP TEN LIST

**“Good ideas rarely happen
after alcohol has been
consumed.”**



TOP TEN LIST

“Only qualified pilots are authorized to fly Marine Corps aircraft.”



TOP TEN LIST

**“Spurned lovers/ spouses
make the best complaints.”**



TOP TEN LIST

“Never miss an opportunity to keep your mouth shut in front of a general officer.”



TOP TEN LIST

“If you ever think or speak

‘...we won’t get caught’

or

‘...nobody will get hurt’

STOP what you’re doing
IMMEDIATELY!!!”



Questions?





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